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of these articles.

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SWEETWATER, THURSDAY, OCT. 20, 1870.

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mittee.**

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as, Thomas Menes, Joel A. Battle, J.
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O'Connor, R. K. Byrd, Hugh McElwee
and John C. Vaughn.

THIRD DISTRICT.—E. A. James, G. C.
Dibrell, Burch Cooke, Asa Faulkner and
Frank M. Duffy.

Charles M. McGhee.
A correspondent of the Knoxville Daily
Chronicle recommends Mr. McGhee as
the people's candidate for the Legislature
from Knox county. John M. Fleming,
esq., declines the race for re-election.

Scary Times.
According to the Kingston East Ten-
nesseean the people of London are kept
in a state of constant alarm by the threats
of the Star man to run for the Legislature.
We can't imagine what harm he could do
there, and anybody could run his paper
for him.

Protesting.
The Prussian Government, it is said,
has addressed an earnest remonstrance to
the United States against the shipment of
arms to France. So long as there is money
in these shipments the Prussians may
keep on remonstrating, but they will be
wasting time.

Happily Expressed.
The Athens Post says: "We admire
beyond expression the considerate zeal
and liberality which induces the citizens
of the interior towns to labor in procuring
patronage and circulation for papers printed
at a distance, while their local press is
perhaps languishing and dying for want of
proper encouragement and support."

The Bald Eagle.
We are pleased to hear that Hon. W.
B. Stokes is regaining his health and
strength. He has received the Radical
nomination for Congress in his District,
and there would not be much credit in
beating a sick man. The Bald Eagle of
the Mountains has indeed lost his powers
of flight when he can't soar as high as a
Garrett.

A Fighting Editor.
It turns out that the man who has
fought the best battle on the side of the
French, taking into consideration the num-
ber and character of the troops under his
command, is an editor who has never seen
a military school or drilled in a military
camp. It was at St. Quentin, where the
Prussian regulars were repulsed by a hand-
ful of raw Mobiles, hastily mustered out
and poorly equipped.

Gambetta.
A recent number of the Louisville Cour-
ier Journal thus refers to Gambetta's
proclamation: "Gambetta's proclamation
to the French people is spirited. Unlike
Hugo, he talks of possibilities. Gambetta
is one of the rising young men of
France, and, as one of the leading spirits
of the Republic, has come out of Paris en-
trusted with the ministry of war, and, it
is said, is already very active in the con-
centration of the scattered volunteers,
and will soon organize a formidable army
calculated to give serious trouble to the
Prussians. He gives the French an en-
couraging account of the situation within
their beleaguered capital, and, if half he
says of it be true, Paris is able to with-
stand the siege for a long time to come, if
she don't even assume the offensive and
drive the Prussian army from her walls.
Advices from several sources concur in
saying that there is much dissatisfaction
among the besieging forces at the prospect
of a dreary winter campaign, and, as many
of them are men of strong family ties,
there is an intense longing for home and
for the close of the war. If such is the
case the early deliverance of Paris de-
pends wholly upon the unity of her in-
habitants and her ability to withstand the
rigors of a siege for a few short months."

Scissorinotum.
If a lady turns her back upon you have
you any right to take affront?

A New York philanthropist never has
green peas for dinner without sending the
pods to the Destitute Widows' Home.

A certain photographer in Indiana ex-
posed delinquent customers by displaying
their pictures upside down, and labelled
"not paid for."

A lady, who was not a Shakespearean
scholar, hearing the "Merry Wives of
Windsor" much praised, asked how many
wives Mr. Windsor had.

Miss Nancy Jane Smith, of Belfast,
Maine, took arsenic internally to beautify
her complexion. It had the desired ef-
fect, as her corpse was pronounced a lovely
one.

A chap who luxuriates in hot weather
and can stand as much heat as a first-class
salamander, exclaims, "what a lovely
month is July!" And echo answers,
"you lie!"

Next summer's style of cutting hair
will be as follows: Cut as close as pos-
sible with scissors and then shaved; head
well rubbed with sandpaper and then var-
nished.

A wealthy lady, who stays in town, com-
plains of the people who retire to the
country and leave their domestic cat to
rusticate upon the rear fences and forage
upon friendly neighbors.

A hod-carrier, a few days since, on a
wager, carried from the sidewalk a barrel
of flour on his shoulder up to the third
story of a building, on a ladder, and then
returned it to the sidewalk and sold it for
eight dollars.

A vagrant who had been fined every
week for begging asked the magistrate if
his rates by the year wouldn't be less.

An Irishman who was challenged to
fight a duel refused on the ground that he
didn't want to leave his mother a lone
orphan.

A young lady caught smoking a cigar
gave as a reason that it made it smell as
though there were a map around.

A Californian contracted with a China-
man for building him fourteen houses.
The Chinaman hired a carpenter to build
the first one, watched carefully every
movement, and then discharged his em-
ployee and built the rest himself.

In Wood county, Ohio, a widow was
introduced to a man on Saturday, went
buggy riding with him on Sunday, and
was married on Tuesday. The husband
came home drunk Wednesday night when
she kicked him out of the house and
threw his baggage out after him.

A yacht which is now on its way across
the Atlantic is so small that the captain
has to part his hair in the middle to trim
ship, and the crew are positively forbid-
den to shift their tobacco suddenly from
one cheek to the other, for fear of upset-
ting the vessel.

A man in Norristown now remembers,
having said, when he saw Dickens in 1842,
"that man will die in forty years of tor-
pidity of the liver." What makes the
coincidence more singular is, that Dickens
died twelve years sooner of something else.

A Wisconsin cheese-maker is manu-
facturing a brand of cheese which is named
"Truth." That cheese will doubtless
have a great run, as "Truth is mitey and
must prevail."

What is the difference between an acci-
dent and a misfortune? If your dunning
tailor were to fall in the river, it would
be an accident; if any one were to pull
him out, it would be a misfortune.

A New Orleans toper argues that the
only safe condition is that of intoxication,
because a neighbor of his was drunk for
two weeks and went through many perils
safely, but was killed the very morning
after he became sober.

A Boston woman refused to let her hus-
band go on a fishing excursion, "because
he was very apt to be drowned when he
went on the water, and, moreover, he did
not know how to swim any more than a
goose."

If a row occurs in Denver City and one
man finds it necessary to disembowel an-
other with a bowie knife, a general answer
is given to those who ask what is the mat-
ter, in these expressive words—"Oh, he's
sprung a leak."

"Certy, my dear," said a Sunday School
teacher to one of her class, "you've been
been a very good little girl to-day." "Yes
ma'am, I couldn't help being good, I got
a stiff neck."

I loathe, abhor, detest, despise, abomi-
nate dried-apple pies; I like good bread
I like good meat, or anything that's fit to
eat, but of all poor grub beneath the sky
the poorest is dried apple pies. Give me
the toothache or sore eyes in preference
to such kind of pies. The farmer takes
his meanest fruit, it's wormy, bitter and
hard to boot; he leaves the bulls to make
us cough, and don't take half the peeling
off. Then on a dirty cord they're strung,
and from some chamber window hung; and
then they serve a roast for flies, until they
are ready to make pies. Tread on my
corns or tell me lies, but don't pass me
dried apple pies.

A Romance.
A Paris editor tells the following story:
Mr. Dickens had been made so eccen-
tric in his habits by over-work that he
turned day into night, and was in the
habit of walking from midnight until five
in the morning. On the occasion of one of
these walks the novelist observed a lady
following him. The next night he saw
her again, and the next—she always fol-
lowed him. One night, however, they
met face to face. "Charles Dickens," ex-
claimed the lady in great agitation, "you
have done me great injury; I can no more
rest. Look at me so that you may re-
member me, for I desire to be remem-
bered. You will see me no more." Mr.
Dickens soon afterward ascertained that
she was the wife of a Colonel in the Indian
army. A few days later and he received
a basket of ebony and ivory, containing a
portrait of the lady, a lock of her hair, and
this note:—"I have loved you madly; but
the love I have given to you I owe to an-
other. I am of my own free will going
to another world, where I may think of
you without treachery. Pity me." Mr.
Dickens flew to her residence and found
that she was dead, with a dagger in her
heart.

**The Democratic Candidate for Gov-
ernor of Tennessee.**
From the Cincinnati Enquirer.]

A Nashville correspondent of a Repub-
lican contemporary, in speaking of Gen-
eral John C. Brown, the Democratic candi-
date for Governor of Tennessee, says:

"Next to a Republican, his election
will suit Republicans. That is, if they
can't get one of their own party, they pre-
fer him next. He was an old-line Whig,
was a Union man up to the breaking out
of the war, and then went with his State,
and enlisted in the rebel army, fighting
his way up to a major-generalship. His
course since the war has been all that a
reasonable Republican could expect of an
ex-Confederate Major-General. He has
been mild, conciliating, just, generous, and
liberal, without becoming a Radical, and
stealing somewhat to confirm his loyalty.
He is a good man, in the broad meaning
of the word, and if made Governor, as he
undoubtedly will be, will see that the
rights of the humiliated are not infringed
upon. His reign will not be a prosperous
one for the Ku Klux and kindred organi-
zations."

This is pretty good testimony to come
from an opponent. It is pretty evident
that his success will not afford much ex-
cuse for another reconstruction of Ten-
nessee by a Radical Congress.

A Lost Child.
The following communication will prove
vitally interesting should it fortunately
reach the parties most concerned.

"To the Editor of the New Orleans
Times: About the close of the late war
my brother, Geo. W. Moreland, found a
small boy, some four to six years old, in
the city of Madison, Ind. He had been
brought there by the Federal army and
left with some parties, or he got him di-
rect from the army stationed there, I can-
not say which. The boy is of delicate
frame, light hair, gray or blue eyes, fair
complexion, no peculiar marks about his
person, and goes by the name of Willie.
I have seen him at my brother's house a
number of times, and conversed with him.
He told me he thought he had been raised
in a city; they were his only impressions.
He is a very interesting little fellow, and
desires much to find his parents if living.
I think he is between ten and twelve years
old. It is supposed that in the evacuation
of the Southern cities during the war, he
had accidentally strayed into the Federal
lines, and been taken to Madison. I write
this in hope that it may reach the eyes of
the child's parents or some relative. For
full particulars address a line to G. W.
Moreland, Milton, Trimble county, Ky.,
or to the undersigned at New Orleans La.
All Southern papers please copy.
W. MORELAND,
173 Girard Street.

The shortness of life is very often ow-
ing to the irregularity of the liver.

The British Government has suspended
all its contracts for the building of turret
ships.

The natives of Pekin have destroyed
the Catholic buildings.

It is reported that Mrs. Dahlgren will
occupy herself in writing a life of her hus-
band, the late Admiral Dahlgren.

The London Lancet, the highest medi-
cal authority in England, announces that
it thoroughly believes in tobacco.

The Supreme Court of the District of
Columbia has decided against the claim-
ants for the \$25,000 reward, offered by
the city of Washington for the arrest of
the assassins of President Lincoln. The
Court holds that the Council had no right
to offer the reward.

A Southern paper thus epitomizes
Lynch law: Four Kentuckians, in jail for
murdering a neighbor, had a surprise party
from a hundred or two citizens the
other night. They hadn't any last words
and they wouldn't have had time to say
them if they had. All leave families.

Couldn't Escape Railroads.
Mr. Nathan Hall, of Durham, Conn.,
in 1833, thanked God that he lived, "in a
billy country where it was impossible to
build railroads." To-day the cars of the
Air Line Railroad run through the door-
yard of his place, between his house and
barn, and within four feet of his side
door.

Not Pleased.
The New York Times is not pleased
with the way things are going on. It
turns its batteries on its own party some-
times with effect. It declares that it may
safely be said that its worst enemies are
to be found within the ranks of its own
party. Incompetent men are placed in
posts of the greatest importance, and the
party is betrayed by those who ought to
be an unfailing source of strength to it.

His Price.
It is said that there are proofs to show
that the carpet-bag Governor of Florida
convenes an extra session of the Legisla-
ture for the convenience and profit of in-
terested parties whenever he is offered
ten or twelve thousand dollars to do so.
Of course nothing can be generally known
of the correctness or incorrectness of this
allegation until the proofs are at hand.
Bring them out, if they exist.

Dueling.
In this age a bully's denunciation can
fix no lasting stigma. The war proved
personal courage to the common heritage
of our race, and that none stood the test
so poorly as the duelist and the bully.
No man now regards the acceptance of a
challenge as a proof of courage. On the
contrary, the tendency is to regard it as
an act of cowardly deference to the stand-
ard of mock chivalry, set up by a class
who are wanting in genuine courage and
real manliness.

Confessed.
The Washington Chronicle makes this
editorial announcement:
"The bolters of Missouri are to receive
their just deserts at last. A clean sweep
will be made among the office-holders of
that State, and the factions followers of
Sevier will no longer be enabled to draw
their sustenance from the party which they
have united to defeat.
The offense of these bolters is, that they
want the people who pay taxes to vote.
For sustaining the constitution in this re-
spect, they are kicked out of office by
Grant."

A huge wild-oat has been caught near
Greensboro, Georgia.

Hinds county, Mississippi, has to pay
under the new order of things, \$200,000
in taxes against \$40,000 paid heretofore.

Judge Allgood, of Floyd county, Ga.,
raised 112 bushels of Early Rose Irish po-
tatoes on less than one-fourth of an acre.
They are Allgood.

Veins of coal are struck in digging wells
in San Augustine county, Texas. There
are in the county eight grist and saw mills
run by water power.

A large piece of gold was found in a
well near Fredericksburg, Virginia, recent-
ly, and parties are now negotiating for the
purchase of the property.

There were between twelve and fifteen
houses taken off from Columbia, Va., by
the flood, and five lives lost—two negroes
and three white men.

It is thought the low price of cotton
will have the effect, next season, of in-
ducing planters to devote more land to the
cereals and less to the great staple.

A Texas cattle-trader was decoyed into
a house of ill-fame, by a woman in Kan-
sas City last Tuesday, where three men
seized him and robbed him of \$1,500.

A Good One for Smokers.
An aged negro whose piety had ac-
quired for her an extensive reputation in
walking her rounds of visits dropped in
upon a neighbor who was equally well
known as a temperance man and hater of
tobacco.

After being courteously received the
negress pulled from her pocket a long pipe
and commenced smoking some very "U-
ion" tobacco, to the infinite disgust of
her host. The man maintained his com-
posure several minutes, but the fumes and
smoke became too powerful for him, and
rising from his chair he said:

"Aunt Obles, do you think you are a
Christian?"

"Yes, brudder, I spects I is."

"Do you believe in the Bible annt?"

"Yes, brudder."

"Do you know there is a passage in the
Scriptures which declares that nothing
unclean shall inherit the kingdom of heav-
en?"

"Yes, I've heard it."

"Do you believe it?"

"Yes."

"Well, Chloes, you cannot enter into the
kingdom of heaven, because there is noth-
ing so unclean as the breath of a smoker.
What do you say to that?"

"Why, I spects to leave my breff behind
me when I go to heaven."